



## Schweiz / Suisse / Svizzera / Switzerland

### Veterinary health certificate for the export of bovine embryos to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

Part I: Details of dispatched consignment	I.1. Consignor: Name:		I.2. Certificate reference number*:				
	Address:		I.3. a. Central competent authority: <b>Federal Food Safety and Veterinary Office FSVO</b>				
			I.3. b. Cantonal competent authority:				
	I.4. Consignee: Name:						
	Address:						
	I.5. Country of origin: <b>Switzerland</b> ISO Code: <b>CH</b>			I.6. Country of destination: <b>the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia</b> ISO Code: <b>SA</b>			
	I.7. Place of origin: Name:		I.8. Place of loading:				
	Address:		I.9. Expected border post <sup>1)</sup> :				
	Approval number of establishment(s) <sup>1)</sup> :						
	I.10. Means of transport (if available): Aeroplane <input type="checkbox"/> Ship <input type="checkbox"/> Railway wagon <input type="checkbox"/> Road vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>		I.11. Temperature of product: Ambient <input type="checkbox"/> Chilled <input type="checkbox"/> Frozen <input type="checkbox"/>				
	Identification <sup>1)</sup> :		I.12. Identification of container/seal number <sup>1)</sup> :				
	I.13. Commodities intended for use as: Breeding/rearing <input type="checkbox"/> Wildlife management <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>			I.14. Total number of packages:			
	I.15. Identification of commodities <sup>2)</sup> :						
	Name (Dams/Sires)	Breed (Dams/Sires)	Sex (Dams/Sires)	Ear-tag no. (Dams/Sires)	Date(s) of collection (Dams only)	Straw identification (Dams only)	Date(s) of AI (Sirs only)

1) If applicable

2) An additional table is generated as attachment to this certificate and must be approved and stamped by the cantonal competent authority.

<b>Switzerland</b>	<b>Bovine Embryo</b>
<b>II. Sanitary information</b>	Certificate reference number*:

<b>Part II: Sanitary information</b>	<p>The undersigned certifying officer hereby certify that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Switzerland is officially free from the following diseases: Foot and Mouth Disease, Contagious Bovine Pleuropneumonia, Rinderpest, Rift Valley fever.</li> <li>2) The donor animals originate from herds that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- are officially recognized free of tuberculosis and brucellosis as well as free of enzootic bovine leucosis and IBR/IPV.</li> <li>- have not been subject to any restriction / quarantine measure 30 days prior to the procedure related to the preparation and collection of germplasm.</li> </ul> <p>The donor animals:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- have been examined and found free from clinical evidence of communicable disease during every procedure related to the preparation and collection of germplasm.</li> </ul> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Donor dams and donors of ovaries, oocytes or other tissues used in production of embryos <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- they have continuously resided in Switzerland or in a member state of the EU for a minimum of six (6) months and in Switzerland for the sixty (60) days immediately preceding the collection of the embryos;</li> <li>- they have been continuously resident in the herd of origin for a minimum of thirty (30) days immediately prior to collection of the embryos to be exported.</li> </ul> </li> <li>b) Donor sires <p>The embryos to be exported were conceived as a result of artificial insemination or in vitro fertilization with semen collected from a donor sire standing at a semen collection center approved by the competent authority and under the permanent supervision of a center veterinarian, where as</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- the semen donors used in production of embryos were tested and examined, according to article 4.7.2 of the Terrestrial Code of the WOA;H;</li> <li>- the semen used to artificially inseminate donor animals has been produced and processed in accordance with Chapters 4.6 and 4.7 of the Terrestrial Code of the WOA;H.</li> <li>- the semen used to artificially inseminate donor animals was produced in Switzerland or has been imported to Switzerland according to official regulations for import of bovine semen.</li> </ul> </li> </ol> </li> <li>3) The collection center: <p>The embryo collection center/production team:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- is officially approved and under the supervision of an official veterinarian from the cantonal veterinary authority in accordance with the conditions laid down in chapter 4.8 and 4.9 of the Terrestrial Code of the WOA;H ;</li> <li>- carry out the collection, processing, or production and storing and transport of the embryos in accordance with the conditions laid down in chapter 4.9 and 4.10 of the Terrestrial Code of the WOA;H ;</li> <li>- is subjected at least once a year to inspection by an official veterinarian.</li> </ul> </li> <li>4) The embryos presented for exportation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- have been collected, processed and stored in hygienic manner that prevent contamination with pathogenic microorganisms. All material with animal ingredients used in processing has been sourced and processed to prevent introduction of pathogenic microorganism. All equipment used to collect, handle, wash, freeze and store the embryos has been new or sterilized prior to use;</li> <li>- have been washed, treated and processed in accordance with the recommendations of the International Embryo Transfer Society (IETS) ;</li> <li>- have been stored in sterile straws in sanitized liquid nitrogen containers at an approved place, for a minimum period of thirty (30) days prior to export ;</li> <li>- have been stored in a sealed container in straws marked in accordance with the recommendations of the International Embryo Transfer Society (IETS) for labelling.</li> </ul> </li> </ol>
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<b>Switzerland</b>		<b>Bovine Embryo</b>
<b>III. Signature</b>		Certificate reference number*:
<b>Part III : Signature</b>	Certifying Officer:	
	Full name:	Official position:
	Address:	Stamp and signature:
	Date:	